The following is the War Department weather report-divisions of telegrams and reports for the beneat of commerce. Observations taken vesterday, at 4:51 P. M., Charleston time.

Place of Observation.	reight of Baro-	. Thermometer	Wind of	Force of Wind	State of the Weather
Augusta Baltimore. Charleston, S. C. K-y West, Fla. New York. Philadelphia Savannah Washington, D.C. Wilmington, N.C. Norfolk	30.13	27 48 70 22 30 70 29 34	NN NEW NW	Pleasant. Zephyr. Brisk. Gentle. Pleasant. Gentle. Pleasant. Pleasant. Pleasant. Brisk.	Fair. Clear. Clear. Clear. Clear. Clear. Clear. Cloudy Cloudy

Barometer corrected for elevation and tempe-

cature. Meetings This Day.

Delta Lodge of Pertection, at half-past 7

Hibernian Society, at 7 P. M. Carolina Rifle Club, at 7 P. M. Hook and Ladder, No. 1, at 7 P. M. Vigilant Fire Company, at 7 P. M.

Auction Sales This Day.

John C. Milnor & Co. will sell at 10 o'clock, at their store, ladies' hats, dry goods, &c. Leitch & Bruns will sell at 11 o'clock, at the old Postoffice, real estate, &c. A. J. White & Son will sell at 11 o'clock, at the

old ostomce, real estatc. illiam McKay will sell at 10 o'clock, at his store, furniture, &c.

A. H. Abrahams & Sons will sell at 10 o'clock, at their store, farnishing goods, &c. Laurey & Alexander will sell at 10 o'clock, at

their store, hams, shoulders, &c. P. B. Laiane & Co. will se'l at 9 o'clock, at

their store, flour. RANGE OF THERMOMETER at Joseph Blackman's drug store, No. 39 Broad street : February

6: 8 o'clock, 60; 10, 62; 12, 62; 2, 59; 4, 55; 6, 52; THE WORLD ALMANAC .- We have received

from Mr. Manton Marble a copy of the World Almanac for 1871-an accurate as well as a complete record of the political and economical statistics THE GERMANIA BUND .- At the fourth anni-

versary meeting of the Germania Bund, held at their hall, February 1, 1871, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President-Jacob Knobeloch. Vice-President-P. W. Meyer. Secretary-H. W. Tidemann. Treasurer-J. F. Lilienthal. Hallkeeper - Herman Wicking. Stewards-A. Hentze, C. Otten. ARRIVAL OF THE PHILADELPHIA STEAMSHIP.

The tron screw steamship Virginia, Capt. Alex. Hunter, reached her pler on Monday morning, after a short passage from Philadelphia, having sai'ed on Friday last. By reference to the agent's advertisement shippers will notice that the salling day of the line has been changed to Thursdays, and that advantageous freight arrangements can be made to both Philadelphia and Boston.

RIDING A RACE.-Two young gentlemen, who found themselves mounted upon a pair of spirited animals, on Sunday, indulged in an exciting-race down Mceling street. Upon coming to anchor, the bridle of one of their horses was seized by a policeman and they were reported at the Guardhouse, and brought before the Mayor yesterday morning. A fine of \$5 each was imposed and paid.

SENT TO JAIL .- Alexander Minckney and Eli Evans, the colored juveniles who unhung each a pair of boots in front of a store in Market street, and were arrested in King street, were brought before Trial Justice Schroder, vesterday afternoon. for trial. The offence of vagrancy -was added to their charge, and after a trial, the boots matter was dropped, and the two were sent to jail for fifteen days each under the vagrant law.

A Boy-stirous Proceeding .- On Sunday night, two roystering blades floated through a certain neighborhood and knocked at the door of a Mary Brown. Having company, she refused to admit them, whereupon one of them, who se to have been made of wood, rushed against the door and broke it down. They then entered and raised a jolly row on the premises. A policeman, being called, arrested the party, and they were tried next morning. The most belligerent of the two was fined \$5.

A CASE OF GOUGING .- Joseph Porter made his appearance yesterday morning in the office of Trial Justice Mackey, with his face much bruised and his eye mangled in a horrible manner and almost excavated. He deposed that on Sunday evening he was assaulted while walking pedeably on the street, by H. O'Brien, without any cause, and struck several times in the eye and face. A warrant was issued against the of fender, who, having been arrested, was bound over for trial to-day. It is thought that the prosecutor will lose his eye, as his antagonist's fin gers pierced deep and almost completed their

AN APPEAL TO ARMS. -After numeroes goes at a bar-room at the corner of East Bay an i Elliott street, on Saturday night, Jack Heins, who was taking his pleasure, became entangled in an argument with the barkeeper. After some dis cussion the latter became angry, and Jack got insulting, when the barkeeper whipped out from behind the counter a wicked looking pistol, about the size of a mountain howitzer, and made in 1773. Jack subsided as he gazed into the bottomless muzzle, and, going out, called the police. The two were arrested, and the barkeeper having de posited \$10 for his appearance, was released. Jack remained, and, after a trial before the Mayor, was discharged, while his. antagonist never came to umim his deposit, which was declared forfeited.

.THE CATHOLIC ORPHAN ASYLUM .- In the sketch of Charleston contained in the premium list of the South Carolina Institute, issued last fall, it is stated that the mansion formerly occupied by Governor Alston, in Meeting street, "is ne . occupied as a Catholic colored orphan asyium." As every one knows, the excellent and well managed seminary so spoken of is not a "colored" asylum at all, and we regret to learn that what was an error, to be excused by the shortness of the time allowed for the preparation of tim sketch, has been regarded as an intentional slur upon the good sisters, and upon the institution in their charge. We have knowledge of the facts, and are certain that the misstatement was a pure oversight. We may add that the writer of the sketch is wholly lucapable of making any in tentional misstatement; or of making any suggestion which would be painful to any class of

THE WORKING PROPLE'S CHURCH .- We are informed that the religious exercises of the Rutledge Avenue Mission Church, on last Sunday were of the most interesting character. Rev Addison Hall, of Virginia, preached in the morn ing a most impressive sermon, from the text "They were first called Christians at Antioch." The little flock, now uniting to form a church were much encouraged by this able discourse They had fitted up a small but commodious hired room, on the avenue, just above Spring street and this sermon, from the venerable visitor, was exceedingly appropriate. In the afternoon the Sunday-school met in the same room for the first time, and in the evening the room was filled to its utmost by an eager congregation, mostly of the laboring classes, to whom the pastor, Rev. Mr. Gaines, preached on the subject of the final judgment. We are requested to state that Christians. and strangers, especially of the laboring classes, temporarily residing in the city, are invited to attend this church on Sundays. Services are held at half-past 10 o'clock, A. M., and quarter-past 7 P. M., every Sabbath. Sunday-school at 3 P. M. For later Locals, see First Page.

ANNUAL MEETING OF CHARLES-TON GASLIGHT COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company was held yesterday, at the hall of the Planters' and Mechanics' Bank. The following gentlemen were elected president and directors for the ensuing year, viz:

President-James Ravenel. Directors-Hen y Gourdin, W. C. Bee, James S. Gibbes, B. D. Lazaru., C. G. Meinminger, Alonzo

J. White, J. D. Aiken, A. S. Johnston. The subjoined report of the president and directors of the company was submitted to the meeting, and ordered to be published in the daily papers of the city. PRESIDENT'S REPORT,

The president and directors of the Charleston Gaslight Company respectfully submit to the stockholders their twenty-third annual report. The manufacture of gas for the year ending 31st December, 1870, amounted to 50,884,756 cubic feet, and the distribution to 50,898,400 cubic feet, showing an increase over the previous year of about 17

The quantity of coal carbonized in the manufac ture of the gas was 5084 tons, against 4261 tons the previous year. The average yield of gas per pound of coal for 1870 was 4 68-100 cabic feet, and for 1889 4 52-100 cubic feet.

The very full report of the engineer, which accompanies this, gives in detail a statement of the business in his department during the year. In the metre department there have been 650 metres recased and repaired, and 193 new metres bought. in the service department 144 new services have been run, 39 .extended, and 739 examined-of which 296 required to be renewed, and 453 repaired.

The st eet mains have been examined in various localities, and the repairs necessary done to

The treasurer's statement (Appendix A) shows the financial condition of the company to be as follows on the 31st December, 1870 :

 
 Liabilities
 \$809,883 32

 Assets
 \$797,337 33

 Cash
 12,550 99- 809,885 32
 His appendix B presents the profit and loss ac-

count for the year: By balance 31st December. \$70,404 41 Deduct three dividends.....

Balance..... \$24,408 41 The bonds of the company, given in settlement of the interest on the shares held by Northern stockholders, which had been confiscated by the Confederate Government, and after the war restored to those stockholders, were payable in New York on the 1st of January, 1871, and provis ion, out of the earnings of the company, has been made to meet both the principal and interest. amounting to \$15,525.

During the year three dividends have been declared. The omission of a dividend in April arose from prudential considerations. The city had recently assessed a very large amount, in the form of a tax, upon the company, and the directors were not unmindful that the bonds referred to above would have to be provided for before the close of the year. With these facts before them. and with a business, a large portion of which for the year had yet to be developed, the directors were of opinion that no other course was open to-

To meet the demand caused by the increased consumption of gas this winter up to the present time, has taxed the caractry of the works to their namest, and they would be unequal, without enlargement, to supply a similar increase next season. Such an increase it is not unreasonable to expect, and the centingency should be provided for. The engineer, in his report, refers to the necessity of taking down the old even and retorts and replacing them by new ones; and he suggests the equal necessity of enlarging the connections throughout the works. These improve ments should be accomplished during the ensuing summer.

The Mayor's annual report to Council, present, ed on the 10th of January last, contains the following paragraph:

LIGHTING THE STREETS. The city is but imperfectly illuminated. There were, originally, over twelve hundred lamps, about hait of which are now in use. The number has been much increased during the year past, as the necessity seemed to require, but with no diminution in the price, which is stil \$40 per year for each lamp. More light has been deemed extremely desirable. It would not only conduce greatly to the comfort and convenience of the inhabitants, but it would afford additional safety to life and property. To this end, a proposition was made to the Gas Company, at a conference held by its committee with the committee of Council by its committee with the committee of Council or lighting the streets, to light the entire city. by its committee with the committee of Council on lighting the streets, to light the entire city, and at a rate which was deemed equitable, inasmuch as it was quite equal to that paid by some even of our neighboring cities. But their counter propositions were deemed so extravagant as to make it evident that they considered themselves a monopoly. It, therefore, became almost a question of morals, whether to regard the monopoly, and let the people have light, or to discard it, and keep the people in darkness. At any rate, the conference ended without result, and no subsequent negotiations have been attempted.

With a concurrence of opinion with the Mayor

With a concurrence of opinion with the Mayor on the advantages of increased light, and with a knowledge of the importance of economy in the financial arrangements of the city, the directors do not admit any responsibility on their part for the alleged failure of the desired increase of light. On the contrary, the desire on the part of Council was promptly met, and in a spirit which the directors, after full consideration, deemed liberal. The meeting referred to by the Mayor was held on the 3d of September, 1869, upon his own invitation, and the inquiry was made at what price the Gas Company would light all the lamps in the city -1250 in number. The Gas Company's committee offered to light all at \$38 per lamp for the year. The Mayor said that if the offer were made \$35, the price paid before the war, his committee would report the same and recommend to Council to light the entire number at that price. The reply made to this was that the Gas Company, in nam ing \$38, had made an offer as low as it could afford, and that it was comparatively lower than the price paid before the war, inasmuch as the currency had depreciated upwards of 30 per ceut., and the cost of manufacture increased in the same ratio. The liberality of the offer will at once be understood, if the amount \$38 be reduced to its gold value, (that in which the price was vaid before the war,) which would be about twenty-nine, dollars, (\$29.) six dollars (\$6) less per lump than that paid before the war.

The result of the conference was that the Council's committee would take the offer .nto consideration, and when they had come to a determination upon it, that they would renaw the conference. Since that time the Cor.ucil's committee have made no communication to the Gas Com-

pany's committee upon the subject. The Mayor's reference to the rate of lighting in other cities is not strictly appropriate, as the cost of manufacture of the gas, the ownership of posts, lanterns, service pipes, the expense of repairs, and the responsibility and expense of lighting and extinguishing, varies in different cities, and the rate of meeting these incidents depends upon the facts in each case. In this city the Gas Company is the owner, and bears all the expense and the responsibility. The city is releved of all trouble and responsibility in these matters. Its only care is to meet the bills under

The Mayor further states "that the number (of lamps) has been much increased during the year past, as the necessity seemed to require, but with no diminution in the price," &c.

On the 1st January, 1870, the number lighted

Increase in the year..... In reply to the Mayor's allegation that the Gas In reply to the Mayor's allegation that the Gas Commany evidently considered itself a monopoly, the following facts are presented: At the close of the war, when the consumption was small, and the leakage, in consequence of the impaired condition of the mains, considerable, the charge for gas was \$10 per 1000 cubic feet. As this evil was partially remedied, the price was reduced to \$5, and as further improvement was made to \$7, then to \$6, then to \$5, and lastly to \$4. This action was nearly voluntary and acceptant desire on was pure y voluntary, and arose from a desire on the part of the directors to place the patrons of the company on the most favorable footing prac-ticable. In conclusion, we beg to state, that now, as heretofore, the Gis Company's committee is ready to meet the Connois's committee whenever t may sale them to appoint a time.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES RAVENEL President.

president of the Charlotte and Augusta Railroad, will give one of their pleasant entertainments this s staving at the Charleston Hotel. . .

UNITED STATES COMMISSIONER. - Frank Small, a colored youth, made his appearance yesterday morning before Commissioner Porteons to answer a charge of voting under age at the Bluffton poll, Beaufort County, during the late election. The evidence showed that he did vote and was only ninerteen years of age, and he was committed to jail to await his trial at the May term of the United States Court. Small alleges that he voted because his father told him he was old enough.

Two other juvenile effenders who had voted under age through ignorance, and had been committed for trial, have been liberated through the efforts of the commissioner.

LOSS OF THE BRIG E. F. DUNBAR .- The following statement is the report of Captain Nichols, of the big E. F. Dunbar, of the colliding of this vessel with an unknown steamer. It possesses interest, as it is supposed to refer to a collision reported here lately. Captain Nichols says:

Started from Georgetown bar for Cardenas on the morning of January 21; on the night after leaving the bar had fresh breezes, wind W. N. W.; at 1:30 A. M., Saw a sail bearing about S. S. W.; judged her to be a steamer by her masthead light; shortly after she came pressing down on our star-board bow, steering about N. E. by E.; the brig was standing S. E., until seeing that she must go under the steamer's bow; put the helm hard-to-port, hoping, if possible, to pass under the stern, but finally struck the steamer a little abat amidbut finally struck the steamer a little abatt amidship, taking brings head gear, starting in how
planking, starting in posts, and breaking main
deck; in six hours the brig settled, being full of
water; we removed what-could be got at suf of
the cabin on proof afterhouse; snortly after saw
a sail to swindward; got signal in distress, and at
11 A. M., was aposen by schooner Jueph-Segar.
of Stockton, Captain Ellis, with whose kind assistance saved what we could, it being very
smooth at the time. It coming on dark, we
abandoned the brig as we saw no hopes of getting
her linto port. her into port.

UNITER STATES COURT .- The District Court was opened at 10 o'clock yes: erday morning, his

Honor Judge Bryan, presiding. In re Henry Campsen, bankrupt, ex parte Charles Scott. Ordered that the petition to set up the lien of a judgment be referred to the registrar to inquire into the facts of the case, and to report the amount due the petitioner, wal loave to report aby special matter.

In re R. Beaty, bankrupt. Ordered that the order of this court of the atn of May, 1870, be to far modified as that the assignees of the bankrupt have leave to compromise and salt at private sale the bankrupt's interest in the several tracts of land mentioned in the petition, for the sum of \$16,000 one alth cash, and the balance in four equal annual installments, secured by a mortgage of the premises.

The case of the Beaufort commessioners was resmined, and the evidence for the defence intro-duced. After the examination of three witnesses the court adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning.

CLUBS AND STARS .- Two individuals, who seemed to have some difficulty in getting their heads through the court-room door after their heavy debauch on the preceding night, were discharged by the Mayor, on the plea of the first offence, and making good promises for the future. A colored inebriate, who had been arrested and osited his \$5 as security for his appearance be fore the Mayor, on sober thought determined not to go to court, and the amount was declared for-Three young men, who stood at the corner

of King and Wentworth street, on Sunday night, and refused to move on when told to do so by the police, were arrested, and after a hearing before the Mayor, fined \$5 each. Iwo destitute white men applied for lodgings

on Sunday night, and were discharged next Wm. Small and Tony Brown, arrested for

vagfancy, and Martha Sweeney, for stealing \$15 from Mr. Gouteveneir, are held for examination. A choleric individual, who had been arrested by the police for breaking a city ordinance, took it manner all the way to the Guardhouse. For this and his other offence he was fined \$5, and, having paid up, he went his way, muttering curses deep, and growing louder the farther he left the

tailing wood, fruit and provisions for some time past in Tradd street. The officers entered the store and after a search the face was discovered closely hidden behind the door. It belonged to one Toby Brown. Toby gave in as soon as he was discovered, and after being allowed a short time to arrange his business, was conducted to the Guardhouse and locked up. He is the prison er who opened the door of the House of Correction for the batch of his fellows who escaped hast month, and openly says he intends to steal, as he is always arrested whether guilty or not. After a hearing before the Mayor, he was sentenced to serve out his unfinished term at the House of Correction and an additional term of thirty days.

THE CHARLESTON MECHANIC SOCIETY .- The seventy-seventh anniversary meeting of this hon orable society was held yesterday at 12 M., at the Masonic Hail, the president, John H. Steinmeyer in the chair. A goodly number of the members were present, and several showed their appreciation of the valuable influences of the society by travelling a long way from the country to attend this moeting. The reports of the different officers of the society for the past year were read in turn, and that of the committee on charity in particular, showing the number of beneficiaries relieved, and the amount expende lupon them, did honor to the society and members. An election for officers for the ensuing year was then held, the ballot-boxes being kept open until 2 o'clock, when the following gentlemen were declared duly elected to serve for the coming year: John H. Steinmeyer, president J. M. Mulvaney, vice-president; J. W. Sawner, senior warden; C. O. Trumbo, Junior warden; J. E. Walker, treasurer; Jo:eph Guy, secretary; John H. Seyles and T. H. Dillingham, stewards. Commit tee on charity-Wm. Kirkwood, D. G. Wayne, M. W. Cross, W. S. Adams. Comn .ee on accounts -F. Lanneau, Benj. Lucas, J. Ralph Smith. The society then adjourned to a neighboring room, where a handsome collation was discussed in that social and genial style so well suited to the taste of the members.

UP IN A BALLOON AND DOWN AGAIN .- At one o'clock yesterday afternoon an immense crowd gathered at the Citadel Green to witness the grand balloon ascension. The huge machine was made of yellow cloth, and when inflated was ninely feet high. After being thoroughly filled with hot air it was cut loose and rose with great rapidity. A large diamond shaped black patch was plainly visible on the side of the balloon where it had been patched. The hurraing and excitement were tremendous as the daring æronaut as cended swiftly to a height of a mile or more, and floated in a southerly direction over the city. When over Beaufain street it was apparent tha there was something rotten in Denmark, for the balloon began to descend at a fearful rate, increasing in velocity as it approached the ground. The eronaut did not lose his presence of mind, bu: was seen manipulating his fixtures and preparing for his strike. The huge machine fortunately escaped the trees and houses, and struck at the corner of Franklin and Queen streets, where it quietly collapsed. In a few minutes the streets in the vicinity were lined with the hurrying crowd, and around the balloon a densthrong of thousands of persons collected. It was found that the balloon had burst in the black paich, and the sudden escape of the hot air occasioned the hurried descent. The yelling and confusion that now ensued were indescribable, and it is only wonderful that the balloon was not torn to pieces by the excited crowd, who all wanted to feel it. The whole affair was quickly taken to pieces, however, by the skirful workmen, and carried off to the Citadel, leaving the excited throng to disperse at leisure and discuss whether it is really true, that

"There's something in a flying horse, There's something in a huge balloon.

PERSONAL.-Colonel William Johnston, ENTERTAINMENT.-The Sumter Social Club

NEW FIRM.-Messrs. O. Tiedeman, Alexander Calder and John C. Tiedeman have formed a copartnership for carrying on the grocery and provision business under the name of Tiedeman, Callier & Co., at Nos. 108, 110 and 112 East Bay, Mr. Otto Tidemann has been in the grocery business for twenty years, and Mr. Calder, who began business with the old house of Blum & Cobis. thirty years ago, has been for afteen years a member of the firm of H. Cobia & Co.

MECHANICS' UNION, No. 1 .- At the annual meeting of Mechanics' Union, No. 1, held yesterday, the following officers were elected: President-W. R. McIntosh. Vice-Presidents-H. G. Frazer, A. N. Pundt, D. B. Haselton. Secretary-T. Knight. Treasurer-O. E. Johnson. Doorkeeper-J. Forbes. Committee on Relief-O. F. Beaufort, M. J. Harlow, G. H. Meyers, S. Roberts, C. B. Petit. Committee on Letters-J. Seyle, A. Nell, E. B. Baker.

THE LADIES' MEMORIAL FAIR .- A meeting of the special committee was held last evening to hear the reports of the different sub-committees. These were read, and showed a most favorable progress towards the getting up of the fair. This will be held positively on the 13th of this month, and a concert, under the management of Mr. Issertel, the musical director of the Freundshaftsbund, will be given in the Hibernian Hall. in connection with the fair. This is a new feature, and cannot fail to be attractive and well patronized.

THE FREE DELIVERY OF LETTERS.—The following amendment has been made in the United States Senate to the new postomee bill now pending in that body :

ing in that body:

SECTION 94. And be it further enacted, That the free-delivery system shall be established in all clies having a population of not less than twenty thousand; and that the salaries of letter-carriers now or hereafter to be employed in clies having a population of not less than one hundred thousand; shall be \$800 the first year of their service and \$900 per annum thereafter, and in cities having a less population than one hundred thousand and not less than fifty thousand \$700 the first year of their service and \$800 per annum thereafter, and in other cities \$800 the first year of their service and \$700 per annum thereafter.

It remains to be acted upon in the House of

It remains to be acted upon in the House of Representatives, and if adopted will add greatly to the convenience of all the communities in which the plan may be applied.

THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC.-The repetition of the romantic drama entitled "Set in Gold," last evening, at the Academy, did not attract as full a house as at its first presentation, but those who manner in which the piece was rendered. The performance was even an improvement upon the first presentation of the piece, and the whole cast were well up in all particulars. Mrs. Watkins acted with her usual grace and vivacity, and sang with her usual felicity. "By Killarney's Pure Stream" was executed with uncommon clearness and sweetness. As the miser, Mr. Watkins was perfectly at home, and received the continual applause of his audience, who watched with wonder and interest his rendering of the the character. The concluding piece, "To Oblige Benson," was received with continuous laughter and applause.

To night, "How She Oured Him, or Mated, not Matched," a new American comedy written by Mr. Watkins, will be presented for the first time on any stage.

CHARLESTON MECHANIC SOCIETY.

Tribute of Respect. .

The melancholy duty is ours on this occasion to offer a tribute of respect to the memory of a departed associate, and to extend to his bereaved family our heartfelt condolence.

Since the last meeting of our society our worthy and esteemed ex-president, Thomas J. Knauff, out by abusing his captor in the most exuberant in the prime of his life, and at the zenith of his usefulness, has been removed from the busy scenes of this world to enter upon the realities of another, and we humbly trust a better, state of

Our lamented friend b came a member of this Society in April, 1853. We can all bear testimony to the devotion which he exhibited for the promotion of i's interests and the object of its beneficent organization. In his death we mourn the loss of a genial, sincere friend, a reliable, confiding companion, a generous, energetic member. The decree of an all-wise Providence has removed him from this sphere of usefulness. It only remains for us to unite in a grateful tribute to his memory, and to bow with submission to the Divine will: be it therefore

Divine will; be it therefore

Resolved, That by the death of ex-president
Thomas J. Knand, this society has lost an efficient, worthy and respected member, who deserved, as he also possessed, our personal esteem,
and whose early and unexpected death creates a
void that will be long and sadly feit.

Resolved, That his name be recorded on a blank
page of our minute book, and that a copy of this
preamble and resolutions be transmitted by our
secretary to the bercaved family of the decased.

Resolved, That this testimonial be published in
the daily papers.

JOSEPH GUY, Secretary C. M. S.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

A DOZEN OF DAYTON'S EDISTO OYSTERS and a glass of his Old Crow will rejuvenate you. .

RED ASH COAL, \$8 75 per ton, delivered. See advertisement of J. A. Enslow & Co.

Be convinced of the merits of a most valu

able medicine, by trying the Old Carolina Bitters TAR .- A large quantity just received at Mar shall's wharf, and for sale by John Marshall, Jr.

BONDS WANTED .- The attention of all per sons who have any railroad bonds for sale, is invited to the advertisement of Mr. A. C. Kauf man in another column.

PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS CHEAPER THAN EVER In Velvet and Leather bindings, 75 cents; old price 90 cents. In Velvet and Leather bindings, 85 cents; old price \$1. In Velvet and Leather bindings, \$1; old price \$1 25. In Velvet and Lea ther bindings, \$1 20; old price \$1 50. HASEL SP. BAZAAR, AND No. 161 KING ST.

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5 Gifts of \$2000 are	1639 Gifts, amounting to\$100,900
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General WILLIAM W. ALLEN, of Montgomery, Planter and late Brigadier-General in C. S. A.

REFERENCES.

OPPICE SECRETARY OF STATE, MONTGOMERY, ALA., }

I hereby certify that the "ALABAMA IMMIGRANT ASSOCIATION" is regularly incorporated under the laws of this State, with a capital of \$50,000, and that the indeporators are gentlemen of means, integrity and high standing,

[GREAT SEAL OF STATE.]

We, the undersigned, cheerfully state that we are personally well acquainted with Messrs. STOKES & GREENE, Managers of the "Alsbams Immigrant Association," and we know them to be gentlemen of high standing, integrity and reflability in this city, who will see that the drawings of their "Association," which is solvent and responsible, are honestly and fairly made. Messrs. EL-MORE, WITHERS and ALLEN, the Commissioners of the "Association," are gentlemen well known over the country as of the highest integrity and honor, who would not lend the use of their names to any scheme or project that was not strictly honorable and above suspicion.

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PRICE OF SINGLE TICKETS has been put at ONLY TWO DOLLARS.

A discount of ten per cent, will be made to purchasers of \$50, and a discount of twenty per cent. to purchasers of \$100 worth of Tickets.

Agents wanted in every part of the country, to whom liberal laducements will be offered. Send Circulars and read the Testimonials.

Parties at a distance desiring to purchase tickets must remlt their money as per address below. STOKES & GREENE, MANAGERS.

> By I. S. K. BENNETT. EXECUTORS OF THOMAS BENNETT vs. Jane M. Bennett, et al.—A Spendid Rest-dence.—Under Decree of the Court of Common

> Pleas.—In Equity.
>
> Will be effered for sale on WEDNESDAY, the

8th March ensuing, at public outery, at the Old Postoffice, corner of Broad and East Bay streets,

rect, be the same more or less; is a high and dry one, having been always exempt from prevailing fevers, and is located in the northwestern por ion of the city (the fashionable portion,) on Lucas, near Calhoun streets, having to the east an open square running from Lucas to Gadsden streets. This splendid establishment offers the largest inducements either to a Northern purchaser desiring an elegant residence at the South, in the winter, or to a Southern purchaser who would de-

sire an open and convenient residence for the

four equal anoual instalments, with interest from date, payable annually, at 7 per cent., secured by bond with mortgage of the property, with policy of insurance on the buildings assigned. Purcha-

By J. FRASER MATHEWES,

All that LOT OF LAND, with the Buildings

All that LOT OF, LAND, with the Balldings thereon, situate in Heyward's court, in the City of Charleston, and known as No. 25, according to plat of said Land now or late in possession of Nathanlel Heyward, 1sq.; butting and hounding north on H. yward's court 25 feet, southwest on Lots Nos. 26, 27 and 23 ti5 feet, southeast on Lot No. 30 35 feet, and northeast on Lot No. 24 115 feet, be the said dimensions more or less.

ALSO, All that LOT OF LAND, with the Buildings, sit

Ai that LOT OF LAND, with the Buildings, structe on the west side of East Bay, in the City of tharleston, known by the No. 63; butting and bounding north on Lands of ——, cast by East Bay, and west by Lands of ——; measuring and containing in front on East Bay 43 lect 6 inches, the same on back line, by 128 feet in depth, be the same more riess.

or less.

Terms—Inc-half cash: balance payable in one and two years, with interest from day of sale payable annually, secured by bonds of the urchaser and mortrage of the property sold. Buildings to be insured and policy assigned. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

jan31-tuf5 WM. J. (AYER, Referee.

By J. FRASER MATHEWES.

DALE POSTPONED TO 9TH INSTANT-

PLANTATION on Edisto : Island, by consent

le year. Inditions of sale—One-fifth cash; balance in

winter, or to a Southern purchaser who wo

MONTGOMERY, ALA. Auction Sales -- Enture Dans.

Dry Goods, &c. IMPORTANT NEWS!

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TELEGRAM TO FURCHGOTT, BENEDICT & CO.

Nos. 244 and 437 KING STREET,

CHARLESTON, S. C. PARIS, January 21st, 1871. Sell off without regard of cost. Peace will be

GENERAL TUMBLE.

ANSWER

Shall act accordingly at once. The following articles will convince you of it: 8 cases of 4-4 FINE LONGCLOTH, only 10c, formerly 12%c 4 cases of 4-4 Fine Longcloth, only 8%c, formerly 10c 10 cases of 4-4 Fine Longcloth, only 121/2 to 20c, formerly 15 to 25c 3 cases 10 4 Fine Sheeting, only 37 1/2c, formerly 2 cases 10-4 Brown Sheeting, only 37 %c, former-

ly 50c ases 10-4 Pillow-case Sheeting, only 17 1/2c. 2 cases 10-4 P.llow-case Sheeting, only 17½c. formerly 20c.
500 dozen. All-Linen, Huck Towels, \$1 per dozen, worth \$1 25
500 dozen, All-Linen. Damask Towel4, \$1 25 and \$4, worth \$1 60 and \$5 50
100 pieces 22 inch Diaper, \$1 30, worth \$1 60.
A large and well selected stock of TABLE DAM-ASKS, Crashes, Napkins and Doylles, at correspondingly low prices. ingly low prices.

FURCHGOTT, BENEDICT & CO.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT. I case of New Style "HENRIETTA" PLAID,

only 37 %c, worth 50c

case of Plain Color Mohair Poplins, 20c per
yard, worth 30c

plecs Black Alpacas, 16 per cent. lower than formerly 20 pieces Black Silks, from \$1 60 to \$4 1 case Irish Silk Poplins, \$1 per yard, worth

\$1 50 50 Ohina Silk Dress Patterns, all shades and colors, at \$12, worth \$15. FURCHGOTT, BENEDICT & CO.,

Nos. 244 and 437 KING STREET.

Fine 6-4 WATERPROOFS \$1, worth \$1.50 All-Wool CASSIMERES, 75c to \$1 All-WOOI CASSIMERES, 75c to \$1 Jeans, all colors, from 16½0 Large variety of Black Cloths, Doeskins and Beavers, at a great sa-ridce. HOSIERY, NOTIONS, RIBBON AND

GLOVE DEPARTMENT. All in want of the above articles will find it to

their own advantage to examine them. They are of our own importation; quality guaranteed, and can be found lower than anywhere else. To gain room for Matting, we are selling off our full and complete stock of CARPETS, Oil Cloths,

Rugs, Druggets, to suit every one in want of FURCHGOTT, BENEDICT & CO.,

No. 244 AND 437 KING STREET. WARNER'S IODOFORM AND IRON PILLS.

DR. H. BAER,

No. 131 Meeting street.

For sale by

PLANTATION on Edisto Island, by consent of all parties, to foreclose mortgage.
Will be sold on THURSDAY, 5th instant, at the Old Postofile. Broad street, at 11 o'clock.
All that well settled PLANTATION, situated on Edisto Island, known as the property of Alonzo Bailey, Esq., containing about 200 acres more or less, and having the fallowing bouncaries: On the north, east and west by Lands of Ephriam Baynard deceased, and on the south by Land of John Wright, Esq.

Terms Cash. Purchaser to pay J. F. Mathewes for papers and necessary stamps. BENZINE, DOUBLE DISTILLED, FOR CLEANING CLOTHES.

For sale wholesale and retail by Dr. H. BAER. Anction Sales -- This Dan

By W. Y. LEITCH & R. S. BRUNS. Auctioneers.

RIST MILL AT A UCTION.
Will be sold at auction on This DAY,
the 7th instant, at 11 o'clock, at the 0ld Post-

the 7th instant, at 11 o'clock, at the Old Postoffice,

The CHARLESTON GRIST MILL, simule at the
corner of Calhoun and Alexander streets. The
lot measures 65 by 40 feet deep. Upon the
premises is a complete Mill for grinding Peas,
Corn or Cotton Seed.

The Bullding measures 30 by 35 feet; is two
stories in height, covered with tin roofing.

The Engine and Boilers are of the most improved character, with beltings, 2 sets stones, 2
elevators, and everything pertaining to a firstclass Mill.

Terms—One-half cash; balance in twelve
months, with interest, secured by bond and mortgage of the property, with insurance and policy
assigned. Purchaser to pay us for papers and
stamps.

By W. Y. LEITCH & R. S. BRUNS. Auctioneers.

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WILL BE SOLD AT AUCTION, ON THIS DAY, 7th instant, at 11 o'clock, at the Old Customhouse,
The PREMISES known as No. 6 Washington streets, east side, between Vernon and Inspection streets. Lot measures 40 by 110 feet deep.

Terms—One half cash; balance in one and two years, secured by bond and mortgage of the property, with interest payable semi-annually. Purchaser to pay us for papers and stamps.

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W. Y. LEITCH & B. S. BRUNS,

Auctioneers. TWO TENEMENT WOODEN DWELL-Fine Teas, Coffees, Sugars Provisions, Spices, lee TENEMENT WOODEN DWEILINGS in Mackintosh's Court, King street,
opposite Ann.
Will be sold THIS DAY, the 7th instant,
at the Old Postomice, at 11 o'clock.
That two-story WOODEN TENEMENT BUXLDING on the south side of Mackintosh's Court, (in
rear of the bakery of Mr. F. Heinz, No. 581 King
street.) Lot measures 85 feet front, 77 9-12 feet on
back line, by 42 feet in depth.

That two-story WOODEN TENEMENT BUILD-That two-story wooden Tenement's court, ad-joining the parsonage of St. Patrick's Church on the west. Lot measures 73 8-12 feet front, 79 feet on back line, by 51 feet in depth. Terms—One half cash; balance in one year, with interest; property to be insured and policy as-signed. Purchasers to pay for papers and stamps. feb7

By W. Y. LEITCH & R. S. BRUNS. Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTOR.
We will sell at auction, THIS DAY, the 7th
Instant, in front of the Old Postoffice, at 11 o'clock, That desirable COTTAGE BESIDENCE, with Garden attached, known as No. 23 America street. Lot measures 35 by 100 feet, more or less. Terms—One-half cash; balance in one year, with interest, secared by bond and mortgage of pro-perty; insurance and assignment of policy. Pur-chaser to pay us for papers and stamps. feb?

By LAUREY & ALEXANDER HAMS, SHOULDERS, STRIPS, &c.

store, will be sold,
200 NEW HAMB
300 New Pig Shoulders
600 New Sugar-cured Strips
15 tubs Butter
3 hhds. Sides. By JOHN G. MILNOR & CO.

L ADIES' HATS, BOYS' CLOTH CAPS, Bed Spreads, Dry Goods, Shirts, Drawers, Bed Spreads, Dry Goods, Shirts, Drawers, &c. &c.
THIS DAY, 7th instant, at 10 o'clock, we will sell at our Store, No. 135 Meeting street,
Ladles' Fine Plush and Velvet HATS, Boys' Cloth Caps, Men's Assorted Hats, 10-4 and 11-42 Marseilles Quilts, Honey Jomb Quilts, Cassimarres, Kentucky Jeans, Cottonades, Fancy Prints, Bleached and Brown Shirting, Denims, Fancy and Blue Plaids, Tickings, Stripes, Head and Pocket Handkerchiefs, White, Calico and Hickory Shirts, Brown and Bleached Drill Drawers, Swiss, Nainsock and Jaconet Cambrics, Hosiery, and 1st Shop Goods, &c.

By A. H. ABRAHAMS & SONS. STOCK OF A RETAIL STORE.—FUR-NISHING GOODS, Perfumeries, Small Show Oase, &c.
THIS DAY, 7th, at 10 o'clock, will be sold at our store, No. 133 Meeting street,
The balance of Stock of a retail store, with an assorted stock of DRY GOODS, Hosiery, &c.

By ALONZO J. WHITE & SON. ESTATE SALE, BY ORDER OF THE Will be sold THIS DAY, the 7th February, at 11 Will be sold This DAY, the 7th February, 2011 o'clock A. M., at the Old Postoffice.

That desirable vacant LOT, the property Estate of G. M. Coffin, on the north side Broad street, next west of Friend street, 70 feet front on Broad street, by 140 feet deep, be the same more or less; butting and bounding south on Broad street, west on property formerly of J. B. Heyward, now of W. B. Smith, east on Land of Barra and north on property now of formerly

of Payne, and north on property now or formerly of Lance.

Conditions—One-third cash; balance in one and two years, secured by bond and mortgage of property sold, with interest at seven per cent. per annum, payable annually. Purchaser to pay for papers and stamps.

By PAUL B. LALANE & CO. WILL BE SOLD BEFORE OUR STORE,
No. 171 East Bay, THIS DAY, at 9 o'crock,
10 bb/s. FLOUR

Conditions cash. Postoffice, corner of Broad and East Bay streets, in Charleston, at 11 o'clock,
One of the most attractive RESIDENCES at the South, built by the late Governor Beanett for his own use, immediately adjacent to the Ashley River, and in full view thereof.

This very fine Dwelling is three stories high, with extensive plazzas, all facing the south. Both beenent and attic are fitted for occupation. The pariors are effectantly finished, both in the second and third stories, and the number of upright rooms in the Residence are twelve, most of the same being large and airy, with high cellings, besides dressing-rooms and attic. Gas piping runs through the entire establishment. On the premises are complete and extensive outbuildings, with two large cisterns and a conservatory. The fruit and flower gardens are quite extensive, and contain many choice plants.

The Lot measures three hundred and forty-eight (348) feet, by one hundred and ninety-four (194) feet, be the same more or less; is a high and dry one, having been aiways exempt from prevailing fevers, and is located in the northwestern por lon By WM. McKAY. LOSING SALE OF A RETAIL HARD-WARE STORE.
THIS DAY, (Tuesday,) at 10 O'clock, at No. 140

eeting street, Sale positive and without reserve. Large sale of tine FURNITURE on WEDNES Hardware Stock open for Inspection.

Anction Sales -- Enture Dans.

By SAMUEL C. BLACK, Auctioneer.

SALE AT AUCTION.
On THURSDAY next, 9th February, I will offer for sale, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the Old Postoffie, Broad street,
That THREE-STORY BRICK STOREHOUSE, No. 139, located on south side of Market street, midway between King and Archdale streets.
Dimensions of main building, 20 feet on Market street by 59 feet in depth. Dimensions of shed in rear (which is sold with main building) 24 feet from east to west, by 28 feet from north to south, said dimensions more or dess.
Terms—One-fourth cash; balance in three equal annual instalments, secured by bond and mortgage of property, at 7 per cent, per annum. Property to be in-ured and policy assigned. Purchaser to pay S. C. B. for for papers and stamps. feb7-juth2 Auctioncer.

By JOHN E. BOWERS. Auctioneer.

er to pay for all necessary papers and stamps.

W. J. BENNETT,
C. G. MEMMINGER,
jane-8,9,17.25-feb1,7,10,16,20,23,25-mh1,4,6.7,8 Nuctioneer.

STATE SALE OF FURNITURE.

Wilt be sold TO-MORROW, 6th instant, at a colock, at the corner of King and Mary streets, The following ARTICLES, viz:
Feather BEDS, Boisters, Pillows, Bedolothes, Blankets, Mattresses, Bedsteads, Tables, Wardrobe, Piano, Chairs, Clocks, Gold and Silver, Watches, one splendid Silver Pitcher and Goblets, Crockery, Cooking Utensiis, &c., &c.
Conditions cash. Articles to be removed immediately after sale. RENNEKER, ET AL, VS. McGINN.

By virtue of an order of sale in the above stated cause, to me directed by the Hon. R. F. Graham, Judge for the First Circuit, I will offer for sale at public auction, on TUESDAY, the 14th the CENTRE OF THE STATE OF THE ST day of February, 1871, at 11 o'clock A. M., at the Old Postoffice, foot of Broad street, Charleston

Anctioneers' Private Sales, &c. By LOUIS D. DeSAUSSURE. CARM SEVEN MILES FROM CHARLES

FARM SEVEN MILES FROM CHARLESTON.

For Saic, the Farm on Cooper River, known as
the "RETREAT," containing about 214 acres of
land; on it are a brick dwelling, two brick outbuildings, stable and carriage house. The location is a beautiful one and commands a fine view
of the river; the garden walks were laid out with
taste, and now have a variety of ornamental
trees. To one desiring a country residence near
the city, it offers many advantages. Apply as
above, at No. 23 Broad street. jan 27-ft4

By LOUIS D. DeSAUSSURE. The LOTOF LAND, on the west side of Rutledge avenue (south of the re-idence of Mr. Wm. Lucas) with two small Brick Buildings subtantially bullt, which can be rearranged or enlarged to make a comfortable dwelling. The Lot measures 100 feet front by 178 feet deep. Apply is above, at No. 23 Broad street. jan27-ftd4

By J. FRASER MATHEWES, Real Estate Broker, No. 56 Broad Street A T PRIVATE SALE, PHOSPHATE LANDS of best quality and

Dpeing, &c.

QOUTHERN DYE HOUSE.

Rice and Cotton Plantations in all parts of the

City Residences, Stores, Building Lots and

A new FRENCH DYE HOUSE has been opened at No. 356 King street, where DYEING in all colors, and Cleaning of all kinds is done at the shortest notice and in the best style.

I. BILLER, French Dyer,
No. 356 King street, near corner George street.

No. 131 Meeting street.